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BY (PROPOSED COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC GROWTH BILL BY CHAIRPERSON STEWART)

A BILL FOR

- 1 An Act reducing the amount of tax credits that may be issued
- 2 for capital investment in the Iowa fund of funds.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

- 1 Section 1. Section 15E.66, subsections 1 and 7, Code 2009, 2 are amended to read as follows:
- 3 1. The board may issue certificates and related tax
- 4 credits to designated investors which, if redeemed for the
- 5 maximum possible amount, shall not exceed a total aggregate
- 6 of one hundred forty million dollars of tax credits. The
- 7 certificates shall be issued contemporaneously with a
- 8 commitment to invest in the Iowa fund of funds by a designated
- 9 investor. A certificate issued by the board shall have a
- 10 specific maturity date or dates designated by the board and
- 11 shall be redeemable only in accordance with the contingencies
- 12 reflected on the certificate or incorporated therein by
- 13 reference. A certificate and the related tax credit shall be
- 14 transferable by the designated investor. A tax credit shall
- 15 not be claimed or redeemed except by a designated investor or
- 16 transferee in accordance with the terms of a certificate from
- 17 the board. A tax credit shall not be claimed for a tax year
- 18 that begins earlier than the maturity date or dates stated
- 19 on the certificate. An individual may claim the credit of a
- 20 partnership, limited liability company, S corporation, estate,
- 21 or trust electing to have the income taxed directly to the
- 22 individual. The amount claimed by the individual shall be
- 23 based upon the pro rata share of the individual's earnings from
- 24 the partnership, limited liability company, S corporation,
- 25 estate, or trust. Any tax credit in excess of the taxpayer's
- 26 tax liability for the tax year may be credited to the tax
- 27 liability for the following seven years, or until depleted,
- 28 whichever is earlier.
- 7. In determining the one hundred million dollar maximum
- 30 aggregate limit in subsection 1 and the twenty million
- 31 dollar fiscal year limitation in subsection 5, the board shall
- 32 use the cumulative amount of scheduled aggregate returns on
- 33 certificates issued by the board to designated investors.
- 34 However, certificates and related tax credits which have
- 35 expired shall not be included and certificates and related tax

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- 1 credits which have been redeemed shall be included only to the
- 2 extent of tax credits actually allowed.
- 3 EXPLANATION
- 4 This bill reduces the maximum aggregate amount of tax
- 5 credits that may be issued under the Iowa fund of funds.
- 6 Currently, the total amount of tax credits that may be
- 7 issued under the Iowa fund of funds program is limited to \$100
- 8 million. The bill reduces this amount to \$40 million.